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| Anticipated Classification of this application:  Class 359 Subclass 291000  Prior application:  Examiner: Jack Dinh | I hereby certify that this is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  |
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| REQUEST FOR A CONTINUING APPLICATION  | ON UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b).  |
| Sir:  |   |
| This is a request for filing a continuing application under 37 CFR  | 1.53(b) a   |
| ( ) continuation application of:<br>(X) divisional application of:  | the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressed service under 37 CFR 1.10 on addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  "Express Mail" label no. US871861795  Typed Name: Timpthy F. Myers Signature: Limically F. Myers Signature: Limically F. Myers Signature: Limically F. Myers Signature: Limically F. Myers Adding Prior Application filed Oct 24, 2002 Ind Methods  A. Pate; Hung Liao  Copy of Application  (a) (37 CFR 1.63(d)). (original or copy). In Priority - 35 USC 119 been claimed in prior Application No.  Application No.  Application No.  Application No.  Copy of Application is enclosed herewith. A certified copy din due course.  te Back - 35 USC 120  divisional 10/280,995 filed on Oct 24, 2002, |
| Pending Prior Applicati   | on_   |
| Application No. 10/280,995 filed Oct 24, 2  |   |
| Title MEMS-Actuated Color Light Modulator and Methods   |   |
|   |   |
| Name of applicant(s) Zhizhang Chen; Michael A. Pate; Hung Lia   | 0   |
| Copy of Application   | L   |
| (X) Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, including the draw   | vings.  |
| ( ) Enclosed is a new specification, including new drawings.  |   |
| Oath or Declaration   |   |
| (X) Enclosed is a copy of the prior Declaration (37 CFR 1.63(d)).   | •   |
| ( ) Enclosed is a newly executed Declaration (original or copy).  |   |
| Foreign Priority - 35 USC   |   |
| ( ) Foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. 119 has been claimed in pr   |   |
| filed on in   |   |
| () The certified copy has been filed in prior Application No  |   |
|   | tion is enclosed herewith. A certified copy   |
| of the foreign application will be provided in due course.  |   |
| Relate Back - 35 USC 1  | 20  |
| Cross Reference To Related Application(s);  |   |
| This is a ( ) continuation (X) divisional   |   |
| of copending application number10/280,995   | filed on Oct 24, 2002 ,   |
| which is hereby incorporated by reference herein.   |   |

### **Inventorship Statement**

( ) Delete the following named individuals as inventors in this application in accordance with 37 CFR 1.53(b) as a result of a change in the claimed subject matter:

## **Appointment of Associate Attorney**

| ( ) | Recognize as Associate | Attorney or Agent | <br><del>-</del> |  |
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| 1   | Registration No.       |                   | _                |  |

- ( ) authorization is hereby granted by signature below of the Attorney or Agent of record
- ( ) the Associate Attorney or Agent may not have the authority to appoint other Attorneys or Agents

## **Communications**

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#### Other Amendments

(X) Enter the enclosed Preliminary Amendment. The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the amended claims.

#### Fee Calculation

(X) The filing fee is calculated below for (X) Utility ( ) Design

| CLAIMS AS FILED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY         |                     |                     |             |               |     |  |  |  |
|--|---------------------|---------------------|-------------|---------------|-----|--|--|--|
| (1)<br>FOR   | (2)<br>NUMBER FILED | (3)<br>NUMBER EXTRA | (4)<br>RATE | (5)<br>TOTALS |     |  |  |  |
| TOTAL CLAIMS   | 26 — 20             | 6                   | X \$18      | \$            | 108 |  |  |  |
| INDEPENDENT<br>CLAIMS                                | 3 — 3               | 0                   | X \$86      | \$            | 0   |  |  |  |
| ANY MULTIPLE<br>DEPENDENT CLAIMS                     | 0                   |                     | \$290       | \$            | 0   |  |  |  |
| BASIC FEE: Design ( \$340.00 ); Utility ( \$770.00 ) |                     |                     |             | \$            | 770 |  |  |  |
| TOTAL FILING FEE                                     |                     |                     |             | \$            | 878 |  |  |  |
| TOTAL CHARGES TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT                     |                     |                     |             | \$            | 878 |  |  |  |

to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any over payment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Zhizhang Chen et al

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